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Public Service Announcement/Community Calendar

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To: News/Calendar Editors

From: Elk Grove Community Services District (CSD) Parks & Recreation

SUBJECT: TEEN EVENINGS OUT

Elk Grove, CA – Teens can catch a movie or listen to local bands under the stars for free this summer during "Teen Evenings Out" hosted by the Elk Grove Community Services District (CSD) Department of Parks and Recreation. These special events are offered Wednesdays and Thursdays through the month of July at the Laguna Town Hall (3020 Renwick Avenue).

Beginning July 9, the CSD will launch movie nights every Wednesday night from 8:30 to 11:00. The first night will feature the movie *Drumline* starring Nick Cannon. *Drumline* is set against the highenergy, high-stakes world of show-style marching bands. Cannon plays a talented street drummer from Harlem who enrolls in a Southern university, expecting to lead its marching band's drum line to victory, but initially flounders in his new world before realizing that it takes more than talent to reach the top (Rated PG 13 for innuendo and language, 1hr., 59 minutes). Other movie nights are scheduled July 16, 23, and 30.

On Thursdays, teens can come back to the Laguna Town Hall to dance and listen to local bands. Music from some of the area's most popular teen acts will play in the amphitheater from 8:00 to 10:00 p.m. July 10 kicks off the series with "The Cronies," a band with "U2 style" from Sacramento. Other concerts are scheduled Jul 17, 24, and 31. Acts to be announced.

Participants are encouraged to bring their friends, a blanket and/or lawn chair, and some snacks. Movies and music offered at Teen Evenings Out are free to young adults ages 12-16. A school I.D. must be presented at the door. For more information, contact the Department of Parks and Recreation at 685-3917 or log on to the CSD web site at www.egcsd.ca.gov.

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